P_1 A P_4

C_{1-4}

A

R

Figure 1
(PRIOR ART)

ATTRIBUTE CERTIFICATE

- ISSUER
- SUBJECT
- AUTHORISATION
- DELEGATION
- VALIDITY

DIGITAL SIGNATURE

Figure 2
(PRIOR ART)

Figure 3
(PRIOR ART)

P_1 A P_2 A P_3 A P_4

K_{PUB1} K_{PUB2} K_{PUB3} K_{PUB4}

A

C_{1-2} C_{2-3} C_{3-4}

R

K_{PUB1}

K_{PUB2}
K_{PUB2}

K_{PUB3}
K_{PUB3}

K_{PUB4}

TRUST CHAIN ESTABLISHING

R $\longrightarrow$ K_{PUB4}

NAME
CERTIFICATE

- ISSUER $\quad K_{PUB\_issuer}$
- NAME $\quad$ "name"
- SUBJECT $\quad K_{PUB\_subject}$
- VALIDITY

DIGITAL SIGNATURE

Figure 4

(PRIOR ART)

$$K_{PUB\_issuer} \cdot \text{"name"} = K_{PUB\_subject}$$

ATTRIBUTE
CERTIFICATE

ISSUER
SUBJECT
AUTHORISATION
DELEGATION
VALIDITY $\boxed{\text{<Condition: IF "PQR" >}}$ — 40

DIGITAL SIGNATURE

Figure 5

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[Subject]
[Required Attribute] 52

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Certificates 55

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DISCOVERY ENGINE
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CERTIFICATE VERIFIER

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(TRUSTED
DELEGATIONS) | PREMISES
(CERTIFICATE
CONTENTS) | —54

GENERATE PRIMARY GOAL ⌐60   —59

IF ANY OF THE AXIOMS PROVE
OUTSTANDING GOAL, RETURN AS
PROOF THE CHAIN OF PREMISES AND
AXIOMS INVOLVED
OTHERWISE   61

TRACKER   63

TRY TO DECOMPOSE GOAL TO BE PROVED
INTO SUBGOALS BY APPLYING DELEGATION
AND NAMING RULES IN REVERSE USING A
CERTIFICATE-BASED PREMISE AS ONE OF
NEW SUBGOALS

IF SUCCESSFUL, PROCEED

IF DECOMPOSITION NOT POSSIBLE,
BACKTRACK AND TRY DIFFERENT
DECOMPOSITION OF EARLIER GOAL.....
                    UNLESS
ALL POSSIBLE DECOMPOSITIONS TRIED,
IN WHICH CASE TERMINATE AS
NOT PROVED

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SUBGOAL

LIST

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STATE
MEMORY

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Figure 7

COMPANY_X
SERVER

K_{PUB_X}

C_{X-Y}

<u>Issuer</u>	K_{PUB_X}	<u>Attribute (Org):</u> "Division Y of Company X"
<u>Subject</u>	K_{PUB_Y}	

DIVISION_Y
SERVER

K_{PUB_Y}

C_{Y-Z}

<u>Issuer</u>	K_{PUB_Y}	<u>Attribute (Org):</u> "Member of Division Y of Company X"
<u>Subject</u>	K_{PUB_Z}	

EMPLOYEE_Z

K_{PUB_Z}

RESOURCE REQUIRES:	REQUESTOR IS MEMBER OF ACCREDITED ORGANISATION
PREMISES C_{X-Y} C_{Y-Z}	$K_{PUB\_X} \xrightarrow{\text{"Division Y of Company X"}} K_{PUB\_Y}$ $K_{PUB\_Y} \xrightarrow{\text{"Member of Division Y of Company X"}} K_{PUB\_Z}$
RELEVANT AXIOM	$SELF \xrightarrow{\text{Company X}} K_{PUB\_X}$
PRIMARY GOAL	$<SELF \rightarrow K_{PUB\_Z}>$
FIRST DECOMPOSITION	$<SELF \rightarrow K_{PUB\_Y}>$ $<K_{PUB\_Y} \rightarrow K_{PUB\_Z}>$ JUSTIFIED BY C_{Y-Z}
SECOND DECOMPOSITIN	$<SELF \rightarrow K_{PUB\_X}>$ JUSTIFIED BY AXIOM $<K_{PUB\_X} \rightarrow K_{PUB\_Y}>$ JUSTIFIED BY C_{X-Y}

Figure 8

Figure 9

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COMPANY_X
SERVER

K_{PUB_X}

C_{X-Y}

Issuer K_{PUB_X}	Attribute (Org): "Division Y of Company X"
Subject K_{PUB_Y}	

DIVISION_Y
SERVER

K_{PUB_Y}

C_{Y-jd}

Issuer K_{PUB_Y}	Attribute (Org): "Member of Division Y of Company X"
Subject "John Doe"	

C_{Name}

Issuer K_{PUB_Y}	Name: "John Doe"
Subject K_{PUB_Z}	

EMPLOYEE_Z
"John Doe"

K_{PUB_Z}

RESOURCE REQUIRES:	REQUESTOR IS MEMBER OF ACCREDITED ORGANISATION
PREMISES C_{X-Y}	$K_{PUB\_X} \xrightarrow{\text{``Division Y of Company X''}} K_{PUB\_Y}$
C_{Y-jd}	$K_{PUB\_Y} \xrightarrow{\text{``Member of Division Y of Company X''}} \text{``John Doe''}$
C_{Name}	$K_{PUB\_Y} \cdot [\text{``John Doe''}] = K_{PUB\_Z}$
RELEVANT AXIOM	$SELF \xrightarrow{\text{Company X}} K_{PUB\_X}$
PRIMARY GOAL	$<SELF \rightarrow K_{PUB\_Z}>$
FIRST DECOMPOSITION	$<SELF \rightarrow \text{``John Doe''}> <\text{``John Doe''} \rightarrow K_{PUB\_Z}>$ JUSTIFIED BY C_{Name}
SECOND DECOMPOSITION	$<SELF \rightarrow K_{PUB\_Y}>$ $<K_{PUB\_Y} \rightarrow \text{``John Doe''}>$ JUSTIFIED BY C_{Y-jd}
THIRD DECOMPOSITION	$<SELF \rightarrow K_{PUB\_X}>$ $<K_{PUB\_X} \rightarrow K_{PUB\_Y}>$ JUSTIFIED BY AXIOM JUSTIFIED BY C_{X-Y}

Figure 10

Figure 11

Figure 12

Figure 13